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EYTRAORDINARY LITERARY FRAUDS .- The London Times of February 17th contains the

"The prisoner Vrin Lucis, who is charged with forgery and fraud, was examined on Wednesday by the Judge of the Sixth Chamber of the Police Correctional in Paris. His avowals the Police Correctional in Paris. His avowals were of a most extraordinary character. He admitted that he had sold to M. Charles, at different times, no less than twenty-seven From this date until March 1st, we offer our different times, no less than twenty-seven thousand documents, for which he had received from that gentleman one hundred and forty thousand francs. Of the twenty seven thosuand documents which he sold to M. Charles only about one hundred were genuine, the rest being productions of his own pen, although pur-porting to be written by Julius Cresar and other Roman Emperors, by apostles, and by poets and statesmen of all ages, and had all you. been manufactured by himself, without the aid of any other person.

"In order to complete the deception he had forged annotations upon old books and documents, purporting to be made by former pos sessors of the manuscripts, which he palmed off upon M. Charles, and also had recourse to various expedients to give an appearance of antiquity to the papers by submitting them to the action of heat and by mixing coloring mat ter with the ink he used. M. Charles, upon being examined, said he was a member of the Academie des Sciences, and was seventy six years old. He could not fix the date when Lucas first came to him, but it was a long time since. He introduced himself with a letter from a collector of cariosities known to M. Charles, and produced several documents. which the latter purchased. From that time these dealings became frequent, until they reached the enormous figure admitted by the

prisoner. "For an alleged letter of Moliere M. Charles paid 500 francs, and for a first letter of Rabelais 200 francs, afterwards purchasing at various prices upwards of 2,000 bearing the same signature. Lucas also obtained money from him on different pretences of pressing need, and had also obtained books, which he never returned. Being asked by the Judge how he explained the production of such documents in such numbers, M. Charles replied that the letters explained each other. Thus, Alcium wrote to Charlemagne upon documents which he found at the Abbey of Tours. Rabelais was sent to that same abbey by Francis I., from which place he wrote the letters included in the manuscripts sold by Lucas, which comprised 100 letters from Alcium and more than 2,000 from Rabelais.

"The detection of the prisoner's fraud arose from M. Charles's apprehension lest Lucas should dispose of any of his valuable manuscripts out of France, and he therefore directed the attention of the police to the man's actions. Having sent a pretended letter of Galileo to Florence for examination by a committee of savans there, it was returned to him as a forgery. He then complained to Lucas, who gave him another letter, telling him the owner of the collection from which those documents came was a M. Boisjardin. After the Academie des Sciences had decided that the Pascal letters were forgeries, Lucassaid his employer had consulted him and he thought the best thing would be to restore the purchase money and take back the documents; 'but this,' said M. Charles, 'I would not do, as I believed in their authenti-

city." The prisoner was interrogated by the Court as to what he had done with the large sums of money received from M. Charles, but he presisted in saying that he had but two thousand to three thousand francs left, and refused to give any account of his expenditure of the re-

CHEESE .- It is estimated that there are in the United States and Canada one thousand tactories, the average weekly production of which is equal to 117,250 boxes. The principal States engaged in the manufacture of cleese in America are New York. Vermont, Massa chusetts, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio, Michigan and Wisconsin, Western New York, West ern Reserve; and some sections of Illinois and Michigan enjoy a deservedly high reputation for the excellent qualities of the products of their dairies. Gonda cheese, the best made in Holland, is very pungent, which preserves it from mites, and this pungency is attributable to the fact that muriatic acid is used in curding the milk instead of rennet. Parmesan cheese, made at Parma, in Italy, owes its rich flavor to the fine sweet herbage of the meadows along the Po, where the cows are pastured. The best Parmesan cheese is kept several years, and none is sold until it is at least sig months milk, and is flavored with fragrant herbs. They usually weigh from 40 to 60 pounds each, and are exported in casks, each of which contain ten cheeses. Westphalia cheese derives its flavor from the card being allowed to become sour before it is compressed. Dutch and Swiss cheese contain, according to chemical investigation, from 26 to 40 per cent. of nitro genized matter, considered the most nutritive constituent of food. The best cheese is from 25 to 100 per cent, more nutritious than bread and meat, which contain only about 22 per by measurement. Fit guaranteed. Best material used. We will also have Boys' Shirts made 100 barrels I always have been repeated by the extension of the same way. perience of laborers in those countries where it | feb 7

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An elegant assortment of very desirable CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, something new. Call and see them. They will be sold at the lowest prices. dec 14

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All persons indebted to the city of Alexandria for taxes, who wish to settle the same with-out costs, can do so at my office, No. 12 Royal street, between the hours of 4 and 8 o'clock p. m. where I will attend to receive them. Unless promptly settled, I am directed to institute proceedings for their immediate collec-tion. P. B. STILSON,

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22 Catalogue and price list mailed on appli-HERBERT BRYANT, cation. No. 25 King street. Alexa., Va. feb 15-tf POTOMAC INSURANCE COMPANY

A general meeting of the Stockholders of the POTOMAC INSURANCE CO. will be held at the Bank of the Old Dominion, on THURS-DAY, the 10th day of March, 1870, at twelve By order of the Stockholders holding one-

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T. DAVY.
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judge what is the cause of their declining health losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, norance about the eyes, Cough, and Symptoms of Consumption.

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